

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: John L. Smith, III, et al.

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For: **TREATED INHERENTLY FLAME RESISTANT POLYESTER FABRICS**

Commissioner for Patents

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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Applicant hereby submits the following Supplemental Preliminary Amendment to the new divisional application, serial number 10/696,484. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.